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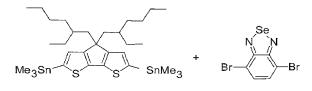
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(57) ABSTRACT

In one aspect, electrically conductive conjugated polymeric compositions are described herein demonstrating compatibility with aqueous solvents and/or phases. The ability to provide aqueous compatible compositions from previously water insoluble conjugated polymeric systems, in some embodiments, can facilitate use of such systems in a variety of aqueous applications, including biological applications.

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Pd(PPh₃)₄

chlorobenzene
200°C, 10 min
microwave

PCPDTBSe